

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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Wednesday Evening, August 16.
National Republican Ticket.
For President,
RUTHERFORD B. HAYES,
of Ohio.
For Vice President,
WILLIAM A. WHEELER,
of New York.
Republican State Ticket.
For Governor,
SHELBY M. CULLOM
of Sangamon.
For Lieutenant Governor,
ANDREW SHUMAN,
of Cook.
For Secretary of State,
GEORGE H. HAWLEY,
of Tazewell.
For Auditor of Public Accounts,
THOMAS B. NEEDLES,
of Washington.
For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
of St. Clair.
For Attorney General,
JAMES K. EDWARDS,
of Lee.
For Congress,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
of Vermilion county.
For Member of the Board of Equalization,
WILLIAM T. MOFFETT,
of Macon county.
Republican County Ticket.
For Clerk of the Circuit Court,
E. McLELLAN,
For Sheriff,
MARTIN FORTMYER,
For State's Attorney,
JOSIAH BROWN,
For Coroner,
DR. CASS CHENOWETH.
REPUBLICAN REPRESENTATIVE CONVENTION.
The Republicans of Macon and DeWitt counties will meet in delegate convention at Decatur, on
THURSDAY, AUGUST 21st, 1876,
at one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating two candidates for Representative in the State Legislature. The basis of representation will be as follows:
Macon county 9
DeWitt 6
J. M. CLOKEY,
Chairman District Com.
REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.
The Republican voters of the several townships of Macon county are requested to elect delegates to a county convention, to be held at the court house in Decatur, on
Saturday, August 26th,
at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to represent this county in the Representative convention, to be held August 31st.
The townships and voting districts will be entitled to the following number of delegates:
Decatur—First District, 3; second district, 4; third district, 4; fourth district, 3; fifth district, 2; Harrisburg, 1; Long Creek, 3; Macon, 4; Blue Mound, 3; Friends Creek, 3; Mt. Zion, 2; A. A. in 1; Macon, 4; Pleasant View, 2; Wheatland, 3; Hickory, 2; Onley, 2; Whitmore, 3; Newton, 2; total, 65.
By order of the county central committee.
R. P. LYRIS, Chairman.
JOHN A. BARNES, Secretary.
THE large majority of our Macon county independent are former democrats, who, while free to express their opposition towards everything that smacks of republicanism, are never heard to utter a word against the St. Louis platform, the confederate congress, or Slippery Sam Tilden. This significant fact has very naturally led to the suspicion in the minds of many that probably these tricky fellows do not intend to vote for Peter Cooper after all. And the question arises, Why should they? If they can gull a few former republicans into voting for their local candidates, their cup of joy would be full. Such a trick would only be in keeping with their long record of political shuffling and double dealing. They are careful to get a large share of the galvanized old Bourbons on their local tickets, and if they can induce enough of republicans to vote for them, by playing the independent dodge, they care for nothing else. Principle is nothing, success is everything.
THE BOURBONS.
LITTLE printed slips posted up about town announce that a Democratic county convention will be held on Saturday, September 24, for the purpose of nominating candidates for county officers, etc. This is not the party to which Farmer Jack, Bob Hill and the other Reformers belong, but its ticket will doubtless be democratic enough to suit them.
THE Chicago Times calls Gen. John C. Black, of Champaign, the Democratic Independent candidate for Congress, the "greatest political humbug in Illinois." The Times does occasionally stumble into the truth, after all.
Job Lot of black, pure Mohair Alpaca—elegant goods—at 50 cents, worth 75 cents, at
Lynn & Son's,
April 7-11

THE SOUTH UNITED.
The state of Alabama held its election last week, which resulted in an Democratic victory. To show how this was accomplished, and to indicate how the confederates hope to secure a "united south," we copy the following from the Alabama State Journal, of Wednesday:
Under a constitution which forces every citizen to vote in the precinct of his own residence, thousands of citizens of Alabama were, on Monday, deprived of the right of taking part in the election of rulers for the commonwealth. Even in Montgomery, the capital county of the state, containing as it does a large proportion of the intelligence and patriotism of the state, the policy of silencing the votes of citizens by means of peace, prevailed to an extent which came near resulting in a reversal of the political character of the county. In Hix, Green, Bullock, Barbour, Macon, Marengo and Sumter, the "peace policy" of the Bourbons has overthrown the large republican majorities in these counties.
Under the "peace policy" of these Bourbon leaders, the polling places of the state are never opened, and as the voter cannot go beyond his beat, he is thus robbed of the dearest rights guaranteed under the constitution and laws of the land to every citizen. Wherever there is a large republican majority, these Bourbon leaders selected parties as managers of the polls, who were instructed not to open the polls, and not to deliver the keys of the boxes to those who would open such polling places.
All day long on Monday thousands of Republican voters stood around the polls, waiting for the democratic managers to open the polling places. Patiently and uncomplainingly these indignant and peaceable citizens of Alabama waited through that day to give their preference for rulers of the state, only to return to their homes in the evening, disappointed, and robbed of their most sacred rights.
Another article in the same paper says:
The result of the election of Monday last, in this state, shows that no matter how large a majority republicans may honestly possess, the Bourbon leaders are equal to the task of overthrowing such majority. Seeing that the world has become shocked at the KuKlux plan of overcoming Republican majorities in this state, these Bourbon leaders resorted to, and have perfected, a new method and more peaceable plan of overthrowing Republican majorities. Wherever in the county precincts of the state, the republicans have large majorities, the policy is not to open the polls. This plan as effectually deprives the voter of casting his ballot, as if he were overawed by a loaded revolver put to his head by some member of the KuKlux.
The returns from the counties of the "black belt," have large republican majorities, show that there is no more chance of getting an expression from the majority, than there is that the majority could honestly overcome the minority. This is the process by which the Houston despotism is continued in power in Alabama.
Mr Tilden Contributed Nothing to the War.
In 1865, immediately after the close of the war of the rebellion, a book of five hundred pages was published in New York entitled, "The Tribute Book." Its object was to preserve and perpetuate the names and contributions of those who aided with their means in the suppression of the rebellion. In its pages are presented copies of every subscription paper known to have been circulated in New York. The contribution of \$1,351,275.94 is recorded in this book, yet the name of Samuel J. Tilden, who was then worth his millions, does not appear in it. He never gave a dollar publicly toward suppressing the rebellion.
A PRIVATE letter to the Journal from a prominent Republican in Mississippi, a Southerner by birth, referring to political affairs, says "The condition of affairs in this state is terrible. We have a large Republican majority. I am not at all extravagant when I say that Mississippi would give Hayes and Wheeler 40,000 majority were the people, white and black, permitted to organize and vote freely. But I have no idea that the state will be counted for them, for the reason that the Democrats have everything in their own hands. I am astounded at Northern men who claim to be Union men voting the Democratic ticket. Of the Democrats in this state there is not one in fifty but would secede to-morrow if they could do so with safety." Of course, as the next best thing, the secession Democrats are all for Tilden, Hendricks and reform.—Indianapolis Journal.
Ma VANCE, a democratic member of congress from North Carolina, and the democratic candidate for governor of that state, is a true reformer and an earnest supporter of Tilden. His ideas of reform are well set forth in the following extract from a speech he recently delivered:
I am sorry that I laid down my arms in 1865; I am in favor of re-enslaving the negro, and if that cannot be done at once my idea is to adopt a plan that will bring about such a state of things. I would deprive the negro of educational privileges; I would pay him low wages; I would prevent him from acquiring real estate; I would deprive him of arms, ammunition, stock and agricultural implements.

**THE President, while signing that bill of abominations known as the River and Harbor Bill, sent a message to the house stating his objections to some of its features, which was, strange to say, not well received by that great body of reformers who follow the lead of Sam. Randall. The President says to the house, "Without enumerating, many appropriations are made for work of purely a private nature, in no sense national, and I cannot give my sanction to these, and will take care that during my term of office no public money shall be expended upon them." The message was in the nature of a sensation to the reformers, who had devoted so much of the session to nail paring, and recklessly voted away \$5,000,000 for improvements, the greater number of which, as the President says, are "in no sense national." Sam. Randall, and that other great reformer, Keegan, affected to regard the message as an unpardonable, that it was presumptuous on the part of the executive to inform the house that he would see that moneys appropriated were not wasted in this wanton and profligate manner. But the debate enlightened them.—There is nothing in the law making it mandatory that the moneys shall be expended, though appropriated. It comes within the province of the Executive to see that the means of the people are not squandered in the manner the "reformers" desire and design.—They have been straining at gnats, how can they expect the President to swallow camels?
During the progress of the River and Harbor Bill, and since its passage, we have repeatedly pointed out its iniquitous features. It appropriates tens and hundreds of thousands of dollars to be poured into mud-holes by shores of lakes and rivers, to make harbors where there is no commerce for them, and navigation where a scow would answer all the purposes of local traffic. These moneys were appropriated to make gentlemen of the house strong with their constituents, and secure for them the vindication of a second term. The President would have been justified in vetoing the bill, and undoubtedly would have done so but for the inconvenience to important public interests, which would have followed the failure of the bill.—Cin. Comm. r. g. id.
LET us suppose a case. No person will deny that in the late rebellion the North and the South represented totally and radically different ideas. The North represented the idea of national unity and national authority; against that of state sovereignty, and the idea of liberty against that of slavery. The South maintained the right of a state to secede from the Union at pleasure, and the principle of a government that is founded on the corner stone of slavery. No two sets of ideas could be more diametrically opposed to each other than those. Suppose the South had been victorious in that contest. Suppose the ideas of state sovereignty, secession and slavery had been completely triumphant. Suppose that North had been conquered and the national government had passed into the hands of rebels, does anyone believe that in ten years after the war they would have entrusted the fruits of their victory and the enforcement of their doctrines to the republican party? Certainly not. Yet, mutatis mutandis, that is exactly what they are asking the people of the North to do now, viz to entrust them, the late rebels, with all the fruits of the Northern victory, and with the enforcement of the ideas and principles on which the war was fought and won.
THE United States Circuit Court in Illinois has recently decided that under the laws of that state it is not more necessary that a married woman shall acknowledge than that a married man shall, in order to make a valid deed. Heretofore, in that state, it has been held that a married woman could only convey real estate by acknowledging the deed before an authorized officer and submitting to an examination apart from her husband. Under this decision, however, the same proof that binds the husband binds the wife. She has, under the statutes, full and complete control of her property, and is placed on the same footing as if she were unmarried, her signature can be proven against her as a signature can be proven against a man or a single woman. Thus does the world progress.—St. Louis Journal.
Manton Marble on the Repeal of the Resumption Act.
The existing law promises specie resumption for January, 1879. If the (congressional) caucus decides to recommend the repeal of this promise there is no tongue so persuasive as to induce the people to believe the Democratic party sincere in its demand for resumption. We must adhere to the day, and no better than the Republicans in showing the means, or run the risk of being believed no better fitted than the Republicans to repair the country's financial system.
THE Cincinnati Commercial calls attention to the fact that Gov. Tilden in his official capacity, warmly approved the resumption act in 1875 and used his personal and official influence to procure the passage by the New York Legislature of an act providing that after Jan. 1st, 1879, all taxes shall be paid in gold, United States gold certificates, or national bank notes which are redeemable in gold on demand. He then believed in resumption. What does he believe now?
SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 15.—The republican congressional convention of the twelfth district, this afternoon nominated D. L. Phillips, by acclamation.**

TELEGRAPHIC.
WASHINGTON NEWS.
How the President is Misrepresented.
INDIAN NEWS.
Disposition of Troops.
THE BRAKEMEN'S STRIKE.
Political Intelligence.
CHICAGO, August 15.—The Times correspondent writing from Fort Buford, August 11, via Bismarck, August 14th, says Terry's force, which left the Rosebud on the 8th, numbered a force of 1,600 men, and was accompanied by a train numbering 225 wagons, containing supplies for 30 days. Terry, with a view of forming a junction with Crook, will move down the west bank of the Rosebud for a distance of 70 miles, when the combined force will endeavor to engage the Indians in the region of the Big Horn mountains.—The Crow scouts report the main body of Sitting Bull's bands encamped on Stinking River, a tributary of the Big Horn, and to engage them it will be necessary to cross Big Horn mountains, which will be an almost impossible undertaking this season of the year.—There appears to be no prospect of any other engagement with the Sioux. Unless the Indians desire to make a fight, the troops will be unable to overtake them before the approach of cold weather.
It is reported that large bands of the northern Indians have been seen crossing the Missouri below Fort Benton, north into the British provinces, and it is not believed that they will make a stand against the troops again this year.
Maj. Sanger, of the seventeenth infantry, has been left in charge of the supply camp at the mouth of the Rosebud, which has been garrisoned by a company of infantry and 120 dismounted cavalry. The garrison has been supplied with three Gatling guns.
Considerable illness prevails in the supply camp. Terry has decided to return his whole command to the mouth of the Rosebud, about September 10th. All troops will be withdrawn after that date. The command will march overland from supply camp, along the north bank of the Yellow Stone, to a point opposite Fort Buford, where a ferry will be provided to move the command to the east bank of the Missouri. The troops from that point will march overland to Garrison, the forts in Dakota and along the Missouri river. The steamer Far West will remain at the mouth of the Rosebud until the return of troops, and will convey the sick and wounded, and such of the supplies and camp equipage as will be possible, to the mouth of the Yellow Stone, and down the Missouri. All of the steamers, with this exception have been taken out of the river.
WASHINGTON, August 15.—General Sherman, on account from further news from the Indian country, is inclined to give more credence to the story of a terrible battle between Crook and the Indians.
ST. PAUL, Aug. 15.—The Pioneer Press' Bismarck special says: We have no news of Terry's last fight with the Indians except by the steamer Western, which arrived this morning from Belton. When at Fort Peck, the Indians told the captain of the Western that Terry had had a fight with the Sioux the day before. That Terry's killed numbered 300, Sitting Bull's loss being 700.
INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 15.—Governor Hendricks issued a proclamation, this afternoon, reciting that a large body of strikers, formerly employees of the Ohio and Mississippi railroad had banded together to obstruct traffic on that road, in defiance of law; that the sheriff of Knox county has called upon the state for aid, and therefore, in the interest of the public welfare, these men should be disbanded. That the railroad has failed to perform any obligations toward the strikers does not justify such proceedings. In conclusion, he calls upon these bands to disperse, and on the officers and citizens to uphold the authority of law, break up this organization, and bring the guilty to punishment.
Three companies of soldiers are Governor Hendricks' orders to move to Seymour or Vincennes, as he may decide.
NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—The Herald publishes an interview between President Grant and the Washington correspondent. According to the report of the interview, the president stated that there were many misrepresentations made in connection with the official communication between himself and ex-Secretary Blaine and ex-Solicitor Wilson. In illustration of this, he never asked for the resignation of the former. So far as anything had been elicited in congressional examination, bearing up

on himself or attaches, heretofore, of the White House, the President was willing to leave the whole matter to the judgment of the country. He had never found any evidence of Babcock's connection with the "Black Friday" scandal.
CULLOM AND STEWARD CONTESTED.
A visitor of Springfield sends us the following extracts from a letter from a friend in Kendall county, the home of Lew Steward. The writer, who knows both the gubernatorial candidates, says: "Your city furnishes a candidate for governor and so does Kendall county, and being personally acquainted with each, although anything but a friend of Cullom, I can say that he is as far above Lew Steward as the heavens are above the earth."
We further adds: "We must see to our good and tried man, or down goes our nation, and I cannot believe that the people have so soon forgotten the trouble the democratic party caused, what we have suffered and still have to suffer for its deeds, as to be willing to trust the reins of Government in the hands of traitors. If the democrats are again placed in power—after that deluge 'reform' we will get at the hands of that party, hoping and praying we may be spared such a trial."—State Journal.
AT LAST.
After a session of eight and a half months, during which time absolutely nothing has been accomplished, congress has finally adjourned. For the reckless waste of time and money which has characterized this congress, the democratic majority in the house must be held mainly responsible. It would be madness to give the government entirely into the hands of such a party.
Hayes and Wheeler

ATTENTION CO. E.
Let every member of this company be on hand this evening at 8 o'clock, sharp, to attend to the election of a 2d Lieut. and Orderly Sergeant, vice Boyd and Wise. After business a short drill will be had By order
C. B. SMITH, Capt.
New Advertisements.
IN BANKRUPTCY—No. 1804.
THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, that on the 17th day of August, A. D. 1876, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of William Crumpton, of near Brady, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts due and delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by the court, and the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a court of bankruptcy to be held at Decatur, in the county of Macon, before James C. Lake, Register, on the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1876, at ten o'clock a. m. E. R. ROBE, U. S. Marshal as Messenger, Southern District Illinois (Aug 15-22d)
SMITH'S OPERA HOUSE!
Friday Eve., Aug. 18th.

20 Star Performers.
4 Specialty Artists.
4 Comedians.
London Sextette.
RESERVED SEATS at Abbott's Jewelry Store. HARRY ROBINSON, Sole Proprietor and Manager. E. M. GOTHOLD, Gen'l Agent. Aug 12-3d
Administrator's Notice.
ESTATE OF JANE KEMP, deceased.
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Jane Kemp, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be held at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of September, A. D. 1876, being the first day of said term.
Decatur, Ill., July 16th, A. D. 1876.
JOHN A. KEMP, Administrator.
Administrator's Notice
ESTATE OF LAURA EMMERSON, DECEASED.
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Laura Emerson, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be held at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of September, A. D. 1876, being the first day of said term.
Decatur, Ill., August 1st, A. D. 1876.
B. O. McREYNOLDS, Administrator.
\$12 Outfit and terms free. TRUE & CO., Augusta, Maine.

THE ONLY ONE PRICE STORE IN DECATUR
HAYS & BARTHOLOMEW
We to-day reduce our stock of PARASOLS, LINEN SUITS, LAWN, PERCALES, and ALL SUMMER GOODS
TO COST.
Our entire stock of LACE POINTS, LACE JACKETS and LACE TALMAS to prices much BELOW COST TO CLOSE.
A splendid time to buy the above named goods. We are receiving new stocks of PRINTS, MUSLINS, and other Domestic Goods, at LOWER PRICES THAN USUAL. Also, a great many Novelties in TIES, BELTS and FANCY NOTIONS.
HAYS & BARTHOLOMEW.
Decatur, Ill., July 18, 1876 d&wtf
GREAT DEMONSTRATION!
WONDERFUL EXCITEMENT
Over the Issues of the Day.
Owing to a change which will take place in our firm about September 1st, we have concluded to
REDUCE OUR STOCK
Of Goods to the very lowest state, and have
REDUCED ALL PRICES!
TO NEAR COST. We mean business, and will convince you of it if you will call and examine our goods. Our stocks MUST BE REDUCED, it matters not at what sacrifice.
Call soon and get THE BARGAINS, at
S. EINSTEIN'S,
NO. 21 NORTH WATER STREET.
Decatur, July 7, 1876—d&wtf
Chancery Notice.
In the Circuit Court August Term, A. D. 1876
STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.
MACON COUNTY, ss.
NOTICE is hereby given that a suit is now pending in the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, on the chancery side of the court, by and against James J. A. and Ellen Shipman, administrators of Stephen Shipman, deceased, vs. William L. Hamner, and Edward J. Jorgensen, and Henry Shipman, first of Harrisville & Shadock, and second of Harrisville & Shadock, and third of Harrisville & Shadock, and fourth of Harrisville & Shadock, and fifth of Harrisville & Shadock, and sixth of Harrisville & Shadock, and seventh of Harrisville & Shadock, and eighth of Harrisville & Shadock, and ninth of Harrisville & Shadock, and tenth of Harrisville & Shadock, and eleventh of Harrisville & Shadock, and twelfth of Harrisville & Shadock, and thirteenth of Harrisville & Shadock, and fourteenth of Harrisville & Shadock, and fifteenth of Harrisville & Shadock, and sixteenth of Harrisville & Shadock, and seventeenth of Harrisville & Shadock, and eighteenth of Harrisville & Shadock, and nineteenth of Harrisville & Shadock, and twentieth of Harrisville & Shadock, and twenty-first of Harrisville & Shadock, and twenty-second of Harrisville & Shadock, and twenty-third of Harrisville & Shadock, and twenty-fourth of Harrisville & Shadock, and twenty-fifth of Harrisville 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Court, August Term. A. D.
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The Circuit Court of the
State of Illinois, in and
for the County of Macon,
will hold its August Term,
on Wednesday, August 23rd,
at 10 o'clock, A. M., in the
Court House, in Decatur,
Illinois.
The following cases will
be called for trial:
Munroe vs. Andrew J. Wallace;
Stephen H. Swain vs. Chas. F. Emery
et al.; injunction. Rule to answer ex-
tended to October 1st.
Eveline Anderson vs. Francis L. Wood
et al.; chancery. Leave to file amend-
ed bill extended to Oct. 1st.
Josephine Weber vs. Conrad Schoenle
et al.; chancery. Leave to amend bill
by October 1st.
COMMON LAW DOCKET.
Samuel Anderson vs. C. F. Reynolds
et al.; attachment. Dismissed by plain-
tiff.
Hayden, Guardian & Co. vs. Frank
Wicks et al.; assumpsit. Dismissed by
plaintiff at defendant's cost.
PEOPLE'S DOCKET.
The People vs. John Wood, larceny.
Continued.
Same vs. Duennig Dubois, assault to
inflict bodily injury. Continued.
Same vs. Wm. McCarty; burglary and
larceny. Trial by jury; verdict, guilty,
and defendant sentenced to the Peniten-
tiary for one year.
Same vs. John Hockenberry, larceny.
On plea of guilty previously entered,
defendant sentenced to the Peniten-
tiary for three years.
Same vs. Fanny Higgins, larceny.
On plea of guilty previously entered,
defendant sentenced to the Peniten-
tiary for two years.
Same vs. Alva and Sarah Lawson;
larceny. Motion for new trial overruled,
and verdict of guilty and five years in
the Penitentiary confirmed.
Same vs. John Maddox, assault, to in-
flict bodily injury. Nolle entered.
Same vs. Owen Rooney and Patrick
Ryan; larceny. Plea of not guilty with-
drawn by Rooney, and plea of guilty to
petit larceny entered. Sentenced to the
county jail for sixty days.
Same vs. John Kemshall; resisting an
officer. Defendant defaulted. Sci in \$100.
Continued, with capias.
Same vs. Owen Rooney and Patrick
Ryan, robbery. Nolle entered as to
Rooney.
Court adjourned for the term.
TOWNSHIP SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.
The Whitmore Township Sunday
School Convention took place yester-
day at the new Union Church, near Mr.
Ruddock's. C. H. Garver, Esq., town-
ship vice president, presided, and called
the meeting to order about ten o'clock.
The meeting opened by singing, follow-
ing which prayer was offered by Rev.
Mr. Rutledge. Another song was then
sung, after which an address was de-
livered by Rev. Mr. Bechtel. Follow-
ing this address the Pleasant Hill School
entertained the audience with a beauti-
ful song, which was rendered with much
spirit.
Mr. Geo. F. Wessels then delivered a
very entertaining address, of about
twenty-five minutes.
The morning session was then closed
by singing "Rock of Ages."
An hour was taken for refreshments,
and the large audience partook of a
bountiful basket dinner.
At the opening of the afternoon ses-
sion officers were elected for the ensuing
year, as follows:
C. H. Garver, Vice President.
S. T. Miles, Secretary.
After singing, addresses were delivered
by Rev. Mr. Schudell, of Macon, and
O. T. Wells, of the same township, both
of which were well received.
Another piece was sung, which was
followed by an interesting address to
parents, by J. R. Gorin, Esq., of this
city. Rev. Mr. Rutledge also made
some very interesting remarks, and was
followed by J. P. Moore, Esq., of this
city, who spoke in his usually felici-
tous manner.
The attendance at this convention was
large, and the exercises were of a deeply
interesting character. The day was
greatly enjoyed by all in attendance, and
the occasion will give a new impulse
to the Sunday School work in Whit-
more township.
Election.—At a meeting of Co. E. last
evening, held for the purpose of filling
the vacancies of 2d Lieutenant and Or-
derly Sergeant, the following were cho-
sen: 2d Lieut., Wm. Leiby; Orderly
Sergeant, Chester Holliday.
Wheatland Township Sunday School
Celebration.—The Sunday schools of
Wheatland Township are to have a cele-
bration in the Grove near Bethlehem
Church, on Thursday, August 24. An
interesting programme has been prepar-
ed, and the occasion will be one of much
interest. Among the speakers engaged
for the occasion are Rev. W. D. Best,
Elder N. S. Haynes and Rev. Bankson,
of this city. Also Rev. Mr. Fulk, of
Wheatland.
The exercises will be interspersed
with spirited singing and other enter-
taining services. All are invited.
Mosquito Covers, for beds, for sale at
Asbury's. [15-dtf]
Hagan's Magnolia Balm preserves and
restores the complexion, removes freck-
les, tan and sallowness, makes the skin
soft, white and delicate. Its application
cannot be detected.
March 10, 1876—deod wiy
Attention, Rescue Hose Co.—There
will be a meeting of this company for
drill, this, Wednesday, evening.
By order of the Foreman.
Black Iron Frame Grenadines, from
the best quality down, low as 25 cents,
at Linn & Scruggs. [8-dtf]
The Daily Republican.
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
Wednesday Evening, August 16.
ANNOUNCEMENTS.
We are authorized to announce the name
of D. H. Powers, Esq., as a candidate for
Representative in the State Legislature,
subject to the action of the Republican
Conventions.
We are authorized to announce the name
of A. H. Beck, Jr., of Macon township, as a
candidate for Representative in the State
Legislature, subject to the action of the
Republican Conventions.
CITY DEPARTMENT.
For the best breakfast bacon, suga-
rured, call on A. H. Imboden.
Go to Niedermeyer's for large, fat
spring chickens.
Tomatoes, by the box or dozen, at
Newell & Hammer's.
Harvey Downing's hack will give
you a ride about town or take you to
the depot all right.
Taylor's hack mouts all trains by
day or night.
Step in at Billy Niedermeyer's if you
want some choice daily butter.
H. Post is in receipt of every variety
of book and sheet music, and sells cheap.
Don't fail to see those splendid new
carpet goods now being opened at Abel
& Locke's. Also a beautiful assortment
of curtain goods.
The great Chicago excursion on
Tuesday, August 22. Only four dollars
for the round trip.
Remember the excursion to Bloom-
ington on Tuesday next, under the aus-
pices of the Antioch Baptist Church.
One day's board at the Palmer
House for \$2.00, to all who go on the
Chicago excursion on Tuesday, Aug. 22.
Joe Murphy, the celebrated com-
edian, with Harry Robinson's minstrels
on Friday evening of this week. Secure
reserved seats early.
Harry Robinson puts no paper on
the wall, but gives his show at the place
and on the night of the entertainment.
Tickets for the Chicago Excursion
for sale at J. S. Hand's, W. R. Abbott's,
and Curtis & Hight's.
Public chickens and poultry of all
kinds, at Pennivell & Wilson's, Can-
tinel's building, on North Main street.
A Dear Suit of Clothes.—As will be
seen from our court record, William Mc-
Carty, the young man who broke into
Elliot & Anderson's clothing store a
few weeks ago, and took therefrom a
suit of clothes, was yesterday found
guilty in the circuit court, and senten-
ced to the penitentiary for one year. A
vigorous defence was made—the insane
dodge and various other means were re-
sorted to—but it was no go. The jury
said he was guilty, and the court con-
firmed the verdict.
Minckley & Dodson are doing their
level best to carry joy and gladness to
the homes of all our people. Their
goods are within the reach of all in the
matter of price, and everybody may
have whatever they need to wear. Call
and see these generous-hearted gentle-
men and receive their benedictions.
"Come one, come all! Come, everybody!"
Abel & Locke are receiving piles of
new goods daily, and carpets, of every
pattern, in the latest styles.
J. P. Marsh can fit you to a dot with
ready-made boots and shoes, or give you
a perfect fit to order.
Road Scraper and Ditcher.—Among
the different inventions for smoothing
streets and roads the Van Voorhis Gang
Scraper and Ditcher caps the climax,
it not only does its work in a thorough
manner but does it with great rapidity.
As it passes over the road it draws the
dirt from the sides to the centre, filling
all the holes and pulverizing all the
lumps, and it operates admirably and
with great dispatch. A good deal of
work has been done with it already in
the city, which speaks for itself. The
attention of the people is directed to
North Water street, and they are desired
to compare its condition to day with
what it was one week ago.
Mr. J. N. Shoemaker, the manufac-
turer, will be pleased to show the
Scraper and its mode of operation to
any and all who may wish to see it, and
will fully demonstrate its utility.
What a Lady Says.—I am sure that
no cooking stove that ever was made
has given so great satisfaction as the
Charter Oak. The arrangement of the
flues is such as to always insure good
draft and quick uniform baking, which
enables the housekeeper to do a large
amount of kitchen work with a moder-
ate quantity of fuel; the Reservoir is
unusually large and supplies all the hot
water required.
For Peoria.—The excursion train to
Peoria, under the auspices of the War-
rensburg M. E. church, will leave the
depot in this city at 7:30 to-morrow
morning. Fair for the round trip, \$1.50.
The Special Train for the Chicago
excursion, leaves promptly at 8:00 Tues-
day, August 22d.
Neptune Hose Co.—There will be a
meeting of this company this evening
at 7 o'clock, for practice.
By order of the foreman.
A. W. CHENOWETH, Sec'y.
The State, a democratic organ in
Tennessee, indicates the spirit of the
campaign in that state: "Let it become
known before the election that the
farmers have agreed to spot every lead-
ing radical negro in the county and
treat him as an enemy for all time to
come."

DECATUR, ILL., August 15, 1876.
Present—Mayor Chambers, Aldermen
Durfee, Harpstrite, Muzzy, Penke,
Harwood, Myers and Wayne. Absent
—Ald. Ehrman, Leake and Stephens.
A petition for a sewer on Broad-
way was received and referred to the com-
mittee on public improvement.
The committee on printing reported
back the claim of Hamsher & Mosser as
correct, and a warrant was ordered in-
sued in payment for the amount, \$24.45.
The finance committee reported back
the claim of Hubbard & Swearingen as
correct, and a warrant was ordered in-
sued for the amount, \$14.35.
The committee on streets and alleys
made the following reports, which were,
on motion, adopted:
To the Hon. Mayor and City Council.
Your committee who was appointed
to report South Franklin street, would
report that the City Council accept
the offer of Mr. B. K. Durfee, who
offers to donate the right of way to Priest
street, provided the city will put and
maintain in a passable condition within
eighteen months, which we respectfully
submit.
E. H. HARPSTRITE,
K. HARWOOD,
J. MUZZY.
To the Hon. Mayor and City Council:
Your committee to whom was refer-
red the petition of Lawrence street,
would respectfully report that the city
owns a 30-foot street from Webster to
Broadway street, and would recommend
that the street supervisor give notice to
the parties to open the same, who we
respectfully submit.
E. H. HARPSTRITE,
K. HARWOOD,
J. MUZZY.
The following resolutions were pre-
sented and, on motion, adopted:
Resolved, That the city of Decatur
furnish brick for a walk four feet wide
and put in the curbing on the west side
of Edward street in front of the property
of Dr. Ira Barnes—Ed Barnes agreeing to
do the grading, furnish the sand and
lay down the walk, work to be done
under the supervision of the street
supervisor.
By Ald. Harpstrite.
Resolved, That the city purchase one
Gager Road Scraper and Ditcher of
J. N. Shoemaker, and that a warrant be
drawn for \$50 in payment.
Ald. Muzzy offered a resolution for
repairing walk on the west side of
Church street, between William and
Prairie, which was referred to the com-
mittee on sidewalks and crossings.
On motion of Ald. Durfee the ordi-
nance committee, in connection with
the finance committee, were instructed
to report an ordinance authorizing the
city council to issue bonds to the amount
of \$30,000.
On motion of Ald. Harpstrite his
Honors the Mayor, and Ald. Durfee and
Muzzy, were appointed a committee to
purchase a fountain, to be placed in the
city park, at a cost not to exceed one
thousand dollars.
On motion the council adjourned un-
til next Friday night, Aug. 18th, 1876.
Attest Geo. P. HARDY, Register.

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